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Greetings,

Here is a revised, final comment on the Public Notice :

\* The total wetland/water fill will be 2.36 acres. The PN states that compensatory wetlands will be established from uplands, and it appears that some wetland enhancement will also occur. We would appreciate an opportunity to review the mitigation plan when it is completed by the applicant and submitted to the Corps.

\* Most of the wetland/water fill is associated with two new "wetland detention basins" to be constructed in NE Pond and NW Pond. NE Pond (21 acres, per NWI) and NW Pond (30 acres) flow into Hempstead Lake. The purposes of the new basins are primarily water quality improvement and habitat enhancement. Have the northern ponds and Hempstead Lake been subjected to algal blooms or excessive growth of aquatic plants?

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